

SIGURD ANDERSON
GOVERNOR

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## PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, about ten million persons in the United States or one out of every sixteen suffer from some sort of heart or blood vessel disease; and

WHEREAS, heart disease affects people in all age levels and economic groups and is becoming more common among even young people; and

WHEREAS, heart disease is the highest cause of death in the United States; and

WHEREAS, there is extensive work to be done in the fields of research, education and community service which projects are being carried on by the South Dakota Heart Association:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Sigurd Anderson, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim the two weeks beginning February 14, 1954, Valentines Day, as

## HEART FUND WEEKS

In South Dakota and do urge South Dakotans to support the Heart Fund Drive and the South Dakota Heart Association.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota to be affixed this 13th day of February 1954.

Governor Anderson

ATTEST:

Secretary of State

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